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House Resolution 1620

By: Representative Cox of the 102<sup>nd</sup>

## A RESOLUTION

- 1 Congratulating Yasmin Assar on being named a Distinguished Finalist in the Prudential
- 2 Spirit of Community Awards and commending her on her service to the community; and for
- 3 other purposes.
- 4 WHEREAS, Yasmin Assar of Stone Mountain, Georgia, has been honored by being named
- 5 as a Distinguished Finalist in the 11th Annual Prudential Spirit of Community Awards; and
- 6 WHEREAS, Miss Assar, a sophmore at Parkview High School, received this honor after
- 7 collecting more than 2,000 pairs of used eyeglasses for distribution to needy people all over
- 8 the world; and
- 9 WHEREAS, this remarkable young lady carried out this incredible project by making and
- 10 distributing flyers and collection boxes throughout her community, setting up a website,
- 11 collecting and sorting donations every month, and then delivering eyeglasses to the Georgia
- 12 Lions Lighthouse Foundation for shipment to medical groups across the globe; and
- 13 WHEREAS, the Prudential Spirit of Community Awards were created in 1995 by Prudential
- 14 Financial in partnership with the National Association of Secondary School Principals as a
- 15 way of honoring young Americans who contribute to their communities through service; and
- 16 WHEREAS, Miss Assar's hard work and dedication to serving others make her a perfect
- 17 choice for this prestigious honor, and her extraordinary volunteer work serves as a shining
- 18 example to all who seek to give back to their communities.
- 19 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
- 20 the members of this body join together to congratulate Yasmin Assar on being named a
- 21 Distinguished Finalist in the Prudential Spirit of Community Awards and to commend her
- 22 on her outstanding community service.

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1 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized

2 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Yasmin Assar.